

SENATE BILL 1949

By Bunch

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 36,
Chapter 2, Part 3 and Section 36-5-101, relative to
child support.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-5-101, is amended by adding a
new subsection thereto, as follows:

(n) Upon application of either party, the court shall decree a termination of
support when scientific tests to determine parentage of the child or children, or to
establish paternity in another person, are performed and such tests exclude the obligor
from parentage of such child or children. The results of such parentage testing shall
only be admitted into evidence in accordance with the procedures established in § 24-7-
112.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.